

SCHOOL BOARD LETS CONTRACT FOR NEW HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING.

Attorneys Advised That Indebtedness Up to \$30,000 Could Be Legally Incurred by Directors.

PROBLEM FOR INCOMING BOARD

Will Be to Provide Revenue For Completion of the New Building and to Accept Option of the Contractors by June 25.

By a vote of 9 to 1 the School Board last night awarded two "split" contracts with the Fayette Lumber Company and Baker, Smith & Company for the erection of the addition to the High School building. The Board went to within a few hundred dollars of the limit of indebtedness allowed by law and stopped. When the new School Board organizes the first Monday in June it will have the completed building on its hands and the problem of raising at least \$15,000 within one year. The new Board will have only until June 25 to exercise its options on letting the completed contract at the price originally notified.

Every Director except Dr. T. H. White and Frank O'Connor, Jr., was present last night and Dr. G. W. Gallagher asked for a full and free discussion. Those in favor of letting the split contracts said nothing and left the talking to Directors Darr and Bales. Director Bales declared his opinion, and that of every contractor with whom he has talked, that to split the contracts would be an unwelcome policy and that instead of leaving a legacy of debt for the new Board to handle, it would be best to leave the entire matter in the hands of the incoming Board. He questioned whether the new building could be completed in time for the opening of school next fall in any event.

Director Darr opposed the motion or the grounds that there had been too much haste on the part of the Board. He called attention to the expense the Board must face, citing the expenditure of \$7,000 for outfitting the property sanitary arrangement in the West Side schools and said the old Fourth Ward building will have to be condemned if Connellville becomes a third class city. Borough Superintendent Deffenbaugh stated that the enrollment in the High School this year is about 270 and at the least estimate there will be fully 325 in the High School next year. It is said that this figure is much too low and that there will be from 370 to 475 pupils enrolled next fall.

Darr asked that the matter be held over and put up to a vote of the people.

At this point Director E. G. Hall called attention to the fact that Scottdale, which has its new High School building about completed, only voted on the bond issue to pay for it at the last election. Hall then called for the question.

Wait a minute," said Darr, "don't be in such a hurry."

"We want every member to express his opinion on this matter," said Dr. G. W. Gallagher. "I wish every member would give his views."

"Let me ask Mr. Hall a question," said Darr. "Isn't it true, Mr. Hall, that you took a citizen of this town that you had not looked over the plans or specifications and did not know anything about this proposed building?"

"Is that to say you paid \$50,000 for the expense?"

"Well, isn't he talking to someone who didn't need to know," replied Hall.

"Every taxpayer in this town ought to know everything about it," replied Darr.

"Why, gentlemen," said Hall, "when I came last the Y. M. C. A. tonight a crowd of boys in front of the door tried to say that if we didn't build that High School they would come up and burn it."

"How don't pay taxes," rejoined Darr.

"I hope they don't run this School Board, either," chimed in Bales.

There was some more discussion on the part of Darr and Bales and then the vote was called. Mason, Allen, Young, Metzger, Perry, Hall, Rose, Darr, Gallagher and Thomas voted for the motion and Bales, Darr and Moore against it.

The Fayette Lumber Company was awarded a general contract for \$27,500, and to do all the work except painting and plastering.

Inside work, including doors, casings, and hardware, fire proofing and first floor concrete, painting and erecting new stairs. They were an option on the balance of their original contract price provided the option is taken up on or before June 25. Baker, Smith & Company were awarded the contract for constructing the underground ducts and putting in the glazed terra cotta exhaust ducts for \$1,000, agreeing to do the balance of the work for \$1,100 if taken up before June 25. The

THREE NEW PATIENTS AT COTTAGE HOSPITAL

Brakeman Sustains Broken Leg When He Was Knocked From Car on the O. & B.

Three new patients were admitted to the Cottage State hospital since yesterday. Mrs. Anna Jordan of Vanderbilt was operated upon for appendicitis last evening by Dr. T. H. White and Dr. Jesse Hazlett, the latter of Vanderbilt. The case was a severe one. The patient stood the operation fairly well and the prospects for her recovery are bright. Mrs. Jordan is 55 years old.

Anthony Stiller, a B. & O. brakeman, was admitted to the hospital at an early hour this morning as the result of an accident with which he met while at work. There was a slight slide on the O. & B. branch near Leisewitz and the jolting of the car caused Stiller to lose his balance and fall from the car. He sustained a broken leg.

Edward Poole, a machinist employed at the works of the Connellville Machine & Car Company, has a crushed elbow sustained in an accident in which he was the victim. After having his injury dressed Poole left the hospital.

No Tickee, No Washee Poor Rule

"No tickee, no washee." That is the rule in vogue with the Connellville laundrymen all over the United States and holds as fast in Connellville as elsewhere. Unfortunately for Charley Lee, the strong hand of the law, in the person of Chief of Police Rottler, interfered with the Oriental agreement and it was smashed today.

Some weeks ago John P. McGinnis left some laundry with Lee to be done up. He lost the ticket and applied for the goods. Delivery was refused. McGinnis went so far as to describe minutely every piece in the package, each of which bore his initials.

Heading was in vain so this morning McGinnis appealed to Chief of Police Rottler. The matter was referred to Justice of the Peace Frank Miller, who issued a warrant for Lee's arrest.

Rottler and McGinnis went to Lee's laundry and explained the matter. There was a rapid flow of Chinese, American and German language, after which McGinnis emerged with his laundry and the Chief followed with the costs. Squire Miller taxed for writing out the information and serving the warrant.

Laborites To Demand Vote Veto First

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Forty members of the Labor party joined the British Nationalists today to oppose the program outlined by Premier Asquith.

George Barnes declared in the House of Commons that the Laborites would demand that the limitation of the Lords' vote be taken up before the budget.

Agents Looking Up Rights of Way For The Western Maryland Yards.

Rights of way and real estate agents of both the Western Maryland and the West Penn are said to be active in their efforts to secure at least a portion of the old Croasland farm, at Croasland station on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie. At the West Penn office here today it was stated that they know of no such activity, but emissaries of the company are said to have made overtures for a right of way across the farm. The activity of these agents has given rise to the report that the Western Maryland, if it acquires the property, may locate yards and sidings there while a trolley line down the Yough river to Dawson by way of Adelphi would be the ultimate outcome of the West Penn activity.

The Croasland farm is located a short distance below the West Yough bridge, which connects the Baltimore & Ohio and Pittsburgh & Lake Erie tracks.

Baltimore & Ohio Shops To Be Doubled According to Plans Being Worked Out; Connellsville Appropriation Big This Year.

Round House Originally Intended for Just Twice as Many Stalls as at Present, and Original Ideas Are to Be Carried Out—Between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000 for Improvements on This Division—Heavy Traffic Out of Somerset County.

There is a strong probability that extensive improvements will be made by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company in Connellsville the coming summer. Officials in Baltimore are at present working on plans for doubling the capacity of the Connellsville round house and shops. The scheme has progressed so far that the work has been included in the list of improvements encompassed in the April appropriations. The appropriation for the Connellsville Division this year, it is said, will be between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000. When the present shops were erected

in Connellsville the foundations were laid for just double the number of stalls in the round house. The present round house holds about 30 engines. The intention is to give it a capacity of 60 engines, adding to the present building.

The machine shops, it is also stated, are to be enlarged so that heavy work that now has to be done on many engines will not have to be sent to the Mount Clara shops at Baltimore.

Connellsville is rapidly forging to the front as a more important center on the Baltimore & Ohio. It will be but a short time until double tracks

on the Fairmont branch will be an absolute necessity. In fact this improvement is included in work outlined for the coming summer. The opening up of West Virginia will greatly increase the movement of freight tonnage through the Connellsville yards. In Somerset county development has been so rapid that it is with difficulty at times the road is able to handle the traffic. Double tracks are also contemplated there. An idea of the traffic passing over the Connellsville Division can be gained from the fact that on last Sunday 900 loads were sent through Sand Patch tunnel.

FIERCE RIOTING IN PHILADELPHIA.

Two Boys Injured, One Fatally, in Mixup This Morning.

HUNDREDS MAKE AN ATTACK

On Car That Tried to Get Through and Wreck It—Union Labor Denies That Sympathetic Strike Will Shortly Be Called.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 22.—Frank B. Kaib will die, and Walter Stead is seriously wounded as the result of a riot at Kensington in connection with the street car strike here. Both the victims are boys.

Six hundred men, women and children took part in this morning's attack on a street car that tried to get through. A drizzling rain was falling over the city today and the rioting took place in numerous places. The car that was attacked was wrecked.

Although John J. Murphy, President of the Central Labor Union, declared that he called a general strike no such action has been taken officially, and cooler heads say that no such action will be taken.

In union labor circles it is declared that President Murphy has not been authorized to call a general strike, and various labor leaders say they have received no notice of such action in their various organizations.

C. O. Pratt's arrest greatly angered the strikers and today they are threatening civil and criminal suits against those who made the arrests.

The specific causes leading up to the arrest of Pratt are zealously guarded, but it is understood that it resulted from the riot in the afternoon when several hundred strikers were unable to attend the mass meeting at the Labor Lyceum.

They marched through the streets to the Mercantile hall, where Pratt spoke. The wrecking of cars followed. The police refused to release Pratt on \$1,000 bond which was offered them.

Few cars are being run today, and omnibus owners are fairly growing wealthy by their fares.

The striking motormen and conductors are engaged in selling newspapers throughout the crowds, and are faring well.

The street car officials declare that they are running 725 cars, and can run 1,200 when granted police protection.

Although it is reported there is a warrant issued for Murphy's arrest has been made. Murphy, at headquarters this afternoon, declared a general strike had not been called and a referendum vote will be taken regarding a sympathetic strike.

Oleomargarine Prosecutions. From 1901 to 1909, inclusive, there have been 938 prosecutions under the oleomargarine law and fines amounting to \$45,366 have been paid into the State treasury.

Government Is Celebrating The Holiday.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—All the government departments except Congress are closed today in honor of Washington and many patriotic societies observed the day.

Masonic Lodge No. 22 at Alexandria, across the Potomac from Washington, is holding open house for all Masons. The Masonic relics used by Washington when he was worshipful master of that lodge are stored in the city hall of Alexandria.

Franz-Joseph Urges King of Greece Not to Abdicate

VIENNA, Feb. 22.—Emperor Franz-Joseph today ordered the Austrian Minister at Athens to urge King George not to abdicate believing the downfall of the present Greek regime would precipitate anarchy.

The concentration of Bulgarian troops along the Turkish frontier is attributed here to Bulgaria's belief that George's overthrow is inevitable.

Assassin Is Fired On By Pres. Zelaya

PORT LIMON, Costa Rica, Feb. 22.—Former President Zelaya while on route to Belgium upon the steamer Liverpool, shot and wounded a young Nicaraguan who attempted to assassinate him.

Zelaya, according to the story printed here today, is generally accredited for his deed.

Highwaymen In Dress Suits Hold Up Cashier.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 22.—Two men in dress suits early today held up with revolvers Cashier Stanley Colborn of a fashionable cafe and secured \$300 in the presence of a hundred diners.

The robbers fired eight shots at the parading diners. They escaped and no trace of them has been found.

NOT FOR BAXTER.

Water Street Hotel Man Has No Desire to Be Chief.

Thomas W. Baxter has no aspirations to be Chief of Police. Speaking to The Courier today, Baxter stated emphatically that he had not given the matter a single thought. He says he has a good business which occupies all his time and he could not afford to let it drop to take a job on the police force. Besides, he says, he has no desire to become a policeman.

Some of the policemen had a hunch that Baxter wanted the position of Chief Rottler now holds, but Baxter says who ever started the pipe dream ought to change his brand.

Presbyterian Brotherhood Meeting. The first annual convention of the Presbyterian Brotherhood of the Bluffsville Presbyterian was held at Greensburg yesterday.

South Side Winner. South Side was a winner over the Uniontown basketball team last night, 27 to 19.

HEALTH BOARD TO TAKE UP PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES.

A Meeting of the Connellsville Board Will Be Held to Canvass Situation in the County.

A FALSE ALARM.

Scottdale Fire Department Was Called Out Today.

SCOTSDALE, Feb. 22.—The blowing of the fire alarm whistle this forenoon called out the Fire Department to Bridge street, but the alarm proved to be a false one.

JACK TO GO BACK TO COUNTY HOME

Didn't Keep His Promise To Enter the Soldiers' Home at Dayton, O.

When Jack Kahn serves out his time in the borough lockup he has a worse fate waiting him. He is to be hauled back to the county jail. When Jack was discharged from jail he promised to start immediately for Dayton, Ohio, where a soldier's home is located. Jack started, but got only as far as Connellsville. He hung around town until the police got him. Then the Commissioners discovered that Jack was not willing away the hours in peaceful contentment at the home.

"Put him on a car and send him up by himself," suggested Clerk Bixler. "Neh," replied the Chief. "He would get off at Wheeler and then where would we be?"

Photographer John W. Ward Is Stricken

John W. Ward, one of the best known photographers in Western Pennsylvania and a life long resident of Connellsville, was stricken with apoplexy in the drug store of Graham & Company at 11 o'clock this morning. He gave the first evidence of regaining consciousness while being carried to the ambulance at 3 o'clock. Dr. H. J. Coll and Dr. G. W. Gallagher attended Mr. Ward, who was carried to the rear of the store.

Mr. Ward talked to a reporter for The Courier this morning and seemed to be in his usual good health. This was only an hour before he was stricken.

Late this afternoon it was said the attending physicians had grave fears that he might not recover.

Taft Helps New Jersey Celebrate

WASHINGTON, Feb. 22.—President Taft left Washington today for New York to celebrate Washington's Birthday with the New Jersey Society of the Cincinnati at a banquet in the Plaza Hotel. He will arrive late this afternoon, after spending the night at Henry W. Taft's house.

Tomorrow the President will go to Newark, N. J., to be the guest of the Board of Trade and from there will return to Washington.

Cracksman Is Shot By Fellow "Pal."

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—John Leonard, aged 41, recently released from the Atlantic Federal prison, and whom the police allege is a high class safe blow, was shot and killed by his "pal," Charles Barnes, aged 37, early today.

The shooting took place in Brooklyn. Barnes was captured. He is said to be the leader among the cracksman and had headquarters in Brooklyn.

Boiling Time at Hand in Somerset and Sap is Running.

The manufacture of maple sugar has begun in Somerset county and one of the best crops of years is expected. Tumpin J. Maust, a veteran farmer of Near Elk Lick, is the first to come to the front with quotations on the present output. Mr. Maust, who enjoys the reputation of supplying only the best quality of maple products, says the syrup this year will be \$1 a gallon. For the sugar, granulated or in cakes or bricks, 10 cents a pound will be the price.

The melting days and cold nights have worked for a good crop of maple sugar this year and the sap is already running. Within a few weeks the farmers of the county will be in the heat of sap boiling time. This is the great event of the year in the mountain sections of Western Pennsylvania and is looked forward to with delight. The troughs are all placed and the sap is beginning to run from the trees.

NEW CASES AT UNIONTOWN

Walter Feather Has Been Walking About With Case of Varicoid—In Connellsville Last Friday—Case Develops at Oliver Works.

For the purpose of discussing the smallpox situation in the county and taking such precautionary measures as may be deemed necessary, the Board of Health will meet tomorrow afternoon at City Hall. Secretary George B. Brown of the Board, having just returned from Texas, has been unable to thoroughly canvass the situation, but believes the Board of Health should prepare for anything that might happen. So far the disease has been confined to the south end of the county, but the ease of travel between the two sections makes the transmission of the germs a comparatively easy matter.

It is not unlikely that the Board of Health will recommend general vaccination in town as a precautionary measure. For those who cannot afford to be vaccinated, the State furnishes virus free while the county is required to reimburse the same.

The smallpox situation has come close to home within the past few days. S. B. Cuppett, the Uniontown man taken sick yesterday, has charge of the West Penn telephone lines. He was here a week ago last Saturday and complained of being ill. Yesterday the physicians diagnosed his case as smallpox.

Although he had not been in the building for 10 days prior to the breaking out of the disease, the West Penn building and waiting room here were thoroughly fumigated last night. This was not believed to have been necessary, but the officials thought it best to take no chances.

The situation in the southern end of the county is growing acute while in Uniontown, where the worst was believed to have been a flesh outbreak. At the Sunning plant of the Rocks Coal & Coke Company there are seven cases in one family and it is feared the disease may spread. The situation at Gates, in the same vicinity, is such that it may be necessary to close down the schools.

Two additional cases of smallpox were discovered yesterday in Uniontown, one of which resulted in the Uniontown hospital being put under a 17 day quarantine. Thomas Sliger, who fell off a beer wagon and was admitted to the hospital on February 17, developed the disease. Arrangements were made to transfer him to the County Home. Marshall Dean and Holly Franks worked until 2 o'clock this morning putting a roof on the tool house and Sliger is being quarantined there.

Walter Feather, the well known real estate man, has been stricken with the disease. Feather was in Connellsville last Friday night and mingled with a number of his friends.

The Uniontown Board of Health held a meeting this morning and asked the County Commissioners to erect a pest house. The Commissioners declined to take this action just now. There is a good pest house owned by the county but at present it is occupied by a family, having been thoroughly renovated. If the situation demands it, this family will be required to move out.

Frank Thompson, a negro, will be arrested as soon as the disease has spent itself in a Whitman avenue house, Uniontown, having, it is alleged, broken quarantine and come down town. Information was made against him before Justice of the Peace Daniel Blerer.

In the case of Walter Feather, after an examination this morning Dr. Peter Smith stated that Feather has a case of varicoid and that he has been afflicted with it for some time. He is now almost well. Feather had the disease when he paid a visit to Connellsville last Friday.

Grant Raymond, health officer for North Union township, this afternoon reported the case of Geo. O. Evans at Oliver, the first case there.

Is Abdul Hamid Dead?

VIENNA, Feb. 22.—(Special)—There are persistent rumors here today that Abdul Hamid, the deposed Sultan of Turkey, is dead at Salonika. Although the report is denied in dispatches from Salonika and Constantinople, it is credited by newspapers here.

Sun Spotters Meet Thursday.

The regular meeting of the Photographers' Association of Fayette and Westmoreland counties will be held Thursday afternoon, March 10, in Photographer Kourk's studio in Greensburg. Several local photographers will attend.

MASTER CAR BUILDERS MEET AND TALK SHOP

Monthly Gathering of Lake Erie Employees Held at Dickerson Run Yesterday Morning.

Special to The Courier. DICKERSON RUN, Feb. 22.—The regular monthly meeting of the Master Car Builders' Club was held at the home of General Foreman Joseph Snyder yesterday evening. The meeting was called to order at 11:30 by Joseph Snyder. The routine of business was gone through with and the work of the members was principally reviewing the different rules. Many spirited debates by different members were the outcome of the meeting but all were of a friendly nature. The two meetings are of much benefit to the members. The club is composed of the general foremen, the shop track foremen and the inspectors of the P. & E. local at Dickerson Run.

Two years ago the inspectors asked for an increase in wages asking to be paid the same rate as the Pennsylvania railroad pays its inspectors. The officials told the men they would have to go through an examination on the different books of rules which the men went through. The daylight inspectors got the increase last month but all night inspectors are paid at the old rate.

The night men hope that they will soon be taken into consideration as they have the same kind of work to do as the day men. Those present yesterday were: General Foreman Joseph Snyder, Shop Track Foreman William Smith, Richard Fieldon, H. H. Husband, G. M. Linbaugh, James Priddy, H. F. Husband, Harry Lint and Al Kinde.

FEBRUARY TERM.

Civil Court of Westmoreland County Going On.

GREENSBURG, Feb. 22.—The February term of Civil Court opened yesterday. The first case was a suit on a guardian's bond, the defendant John Fisher, having gone on the bond of S. I. Gorman, committee for Frank Kost, a lunatic, of near Derry. Later Gorman became non compos mentis and C. D. Hollingsworth was appointed guardian. Kost failed to pay over \$993.97 which he had received. The court directed the jury to find against Fisher, the bondman, in the sum named. The suit of Mercy hospital against the Poor Directors of Westmoreland county is the first of its kind, and was for treatment given at the hospital for several people suffering from dox bites. The cost was uniformly \$125. Four paid, but four were unable to do so.

Mrs. Henrietta Jennings sued Joseph C. Smith for a board bill of \$105. The eight suits against the Hawley Construction Company were either settled or under settlement and were stricken from the list.

NEW W. VA. ROAD

Chartered at Charleston With Capital of \$250,000.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Feb. 22.—To develop coal land in Kanawha county, the Pocahontas & Co. Company of Charleston was chartered yesterday. The company has an authorized capital stock of \$250,000 and the incorporators are Oliver P. Markle, Harvey I. Steele, Isadore Frank, W. C. Hawk and William L. Gans of Uniontown, Pa. To construct a railroad along Cheat river from Parsons to Rowlesburg opening up large areas of timber land, the Atlantic Northern Railroad Company, with a capital stock of \$500,000, was incorporated yesterday by James W. Flynn and others of Kingwood.

GOT WRONG HOUSE.

Mistake Costs Uniontown Sentences in Borough Lockup.

UNION TOWN, Feb. 22.—J. W. Ring, James Spiker, R. Spiker and Russell Gaffey, were all sentenced by Judge McCrumb this morning for disorderly conduct. They went to the home of Mrs. Lewis an aged woman, last night and demanded admittance. All were drunk.

The men said they were looking for one Mr. Thomas but they had the wrong house as the arrival of the police demonstrated. Their sentences ranged from 16 to 18 hours.

EPWORTH LEAGUERS

Met at the Home of Mrs. W. H. Thomas, West Side.

About 50 members of the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal Church were present at the monthly meeting held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomas on Main street, West Side. During the business session plans for a social were discussed and the matter was referred to the hands of the Second Vice President, Miss Martha Cunningham. A social hour and refreshments followed the business meeting.

AFTER NEW ATTRACTIONS.

New Amusements Coming Season for West Penn Parks.

Superintendent J. W. Brown of the West Penn returned this morning from Niles and Youngstown, Ohio, where he went after new attractions for Olympia and Oakland parks. Contracts have also been closed with the American Vaudeville Circuit of New York for musical comedies, stock companies and vaudeville attractions at Oakland.

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SURPRISE PARTY

Tendered Scottdale Young Man by a Number of His Schoolmates.

A cleverly arranged surprise party was tendered Webster Stauffer Friday evening at his home on Arthur avenue, Scottdale. The affair was planned by a number of his schoolmates and was one of the happiest events in Webster's life. The young people assembled at the Stauffer home shortly after 9 o'clock and proceeded at once to enjoy the amusements of the evening which included various parties games and music. A well appointed luncheon was served at the conclusion of the games.

The following friends of Master Webster were present: Dulcinea Rager, Anna Humphries, Mary Kennel, Olive Vanhook, Helen Sides, Edna Pyle, Helen Strickler, Adlene Brown, Lewis Woodier, Matilda Tannehill, Ruth Welmer, Florence Murray, Mabel Lutzell, Edna Rhodes, Olive Rhodes, Ruth Merrill, Lillian Walker, Edna Stauffer, Elizabeth Reed, Lulu Stauffer, William Livingston, Fred Engle, William Fetter, Clayton Perry, George Browner, Thomas Molison, Maudie Tannehill, Karl Gilbert and George Jarwell.

River Rises Two Feet From Recent Rains

Colder and snow buries tonight and tomorrow, is the noon weather bulletin.

The rains of yesterday and last night sent the river up more than 2 feet since last evening and the gauge this morning showed a mark of 7.35 feet. The stream was still raging and unless a sudden cold snap comes within the next 24 hours there is every prospect of a flood stage being reached. The weather prediction is for a cold wave but while the mercury dropped several degrees, the indications at noon today were that the conditions would remain about stationary. Snow flurries fell this morning. The mercury this morning registered 33 degrees against 44 yesterday morning and 10 last evening.

Construction Co. Elects Officers, Business Good

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Connelville Construction Company was held last evening in the company's office, No. 402 First National Bank building. Seven directors were elected as follows: W. J. Bailey, J. Donald Porter, P. T. Evans, C. M. Hyatt, John C. W. A. M. Halton and E. T. Norton.

The following officers were re-elected: President, P. T. Evans; Vice President, C. M. Hyatt; Secretary and Treasurer, L. R. Schroyer, and Manager, A. M. Haines. In spite of the business depression which has existed in the past year, the company made an excellent showing and the officers and directors received a vote of commendation from the stockholders.

CRESCENTS WON.

Took Three Straights From Tin Plates on Flynn Alloys.

The Crescents took three straight games from the Tin Plate boys on the Flynn alloys at South Connelville last night. The scores follow:

	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
Flynn	101	98	113	312
Harvard	81	77	91	249
P. McGowan	68	64	72	204
A. Trenborth	85	70	77	232
P. Trenborth	81	64	94	239
Totals	425	403	457	1285

BOUGHT HIMELRIGHT STORE.

Thomas J. Reynolds Will Embark in the Grocery Business.

Arrangements were made this morning for the purchase of E. R. Himelright's store on the South Side by Thomas J. Reynolds, son of Connelville John P. Reynolds. Mr. Reynolds expects to begin business there this afternoon.

Yesterday Himelright made an assignment but satisfactory arrangements were made for the transfer of the store.

GRADING IS DONE.

Flynn Did Preliminary Work for Bar Storage Extension at Humbert.

Contractor P. J. Flynn of South Connelville has just finished the grading that was done for the new bar storage extension to the main hot mill building at the Humbert tin plate plant.

The storage department will be roofed for the protection of the men working in that department during bad weather. Flynn has been working on the contract for some time past but made good time on the job.

Weekly Staff Meeting.

The weekly staff meeting of the West Penn was held this morning with Operating Manager W. E. Moore presiding.

Licensed to Wed.

Frank E. Weller of Republic and Ada B. Boyer of Hopwood were granted a marriage license in Pittsburgh yesterday.

SURVEYS COMPLETED FOR W. VA. EXTENSION

Two Practical Routes For Pennsylvania Starting From New Geneva to Morgantown.

The final survey has been completed for the extension of the P. V. & C. railroad to Morgantown, where a connection will be made with the Coal & Coke railroad and shipping facilities afforded the rich coal fields of West Virginia as well as those of Eastern Greene county, which lie nearer to the Pittsburgh market and the Ohio river. Two practical routes have been surveyed. The former of these two would cross the river from New Geneva to the farm of Silas Provis near Greensboro, on the Greene county side, and follow the river up to Morgantown. The latter route would touch Taylorstown, Greene county, and would necessitate the boring of one tunnel near that place. This route, according to information from high official sources, is one that is being favorably considered when the road is built.

There seems to be no question that the road will be constructed before the end of next summer, and this will, of course mean the immediate development of much valuable coke in the eastern portion of Greene county.

The new road will afford an outlet over a double track system to Pittsburgh, from a point on the river a short distance below New Geneva.

HOKE JAMES SAID BAD THINGS WHEN COP CAME

For That Reason He and His Opponent Both Had to Put Up \$5 Each.

Hoke James of South Connelville tried to take his brother home last night when another man interfered. In the argument which followed both used bad language and were arrested by Officer Thomas McDonald. The other fellow posted a \$5 forfeit, but James stood trial.

Burgess Evans was going to let him off with \$3.50 until Chief Rottler explained the circumstances as described by McDonald. The fine was increased to \$5, but James took 72 hours.

George Leshko of Uniontown, having no job and wandering about the country, was arrested last night for being drunk. He denied the charge and said he was sick. He was discharged.

CIGARETTE IGNITES POWDER

Clothes Burned Off Eleven Miners Descending in Cage.

Dubois, Pa., Feb. 22.—Ten men and a boy were seriously burned by a powder explosion at Briton shaft, near this city. The explosion occurred in the elevator cage on its first trip down.

One of the men, carrying a five-pound can of powder, was smoking a cigarette and it is presumed a spark from the cigarette ignited the powder. All the men in the cage were seriously burned, and the injuries to some may prove fatal. Clothing was burned from nearly all the men.

GROUP MEETING.

To Be Held Saturday in the Methodist Episcopal Church.

A group meeting of the Connelville Sub-District of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held Saturday at 7 P. M. Delegates will be present from Connelville, Mt. Pleasant, Scottdale, Perryopolis, Dunbar, Dawson and Vanderbilt. Miss Anna McDuff, of the local league, will deliver an address.

MISS DAVIDSON ILL.

Suffered Attack of Appendicitis at Slippery Rock School.

Miss Ruth Davidson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davidson, Sr., is ill of appendicitis at her home on East Green street. Miss Davidson was taken suddenly ill last week at Slippery Rock State Normal where she is a student. She was removed to her home during the latter part of the week. The attack was a slight one and an operation was not necessary.

Cause of Eczema Explained.

After years of debate medical authorities are now agreed that Eczema and other skin diseases are not seated in the blood, but are caused by myriads of microscopic animals gnawing the flesh just below the epidermis. The patient is perfectly healthy. It is only the skin that is diseased.

Hence, scientists are now agreed that you must cure the skin through the skin. The medicine must be in liquid form in order to penetrate properly. And we can say with confidence that we have the true remedy for Eczema in our store.

The instant you wash with this soothing liquid you will find the itch relieved. We positively assure you of this. Will you try a bottle? (All only 25c), on our recommendation? Ask for D. D. D. Prescription. J. C. Moore, druggist, Water street, Connelville, Pa.

Released From Jail.

Through the efforts of Attorney P. D. Munson George Collins was released from jail yesterday afternoon. The information preferred against him for felonious cutting by Matthew Hart was withdrawn.

Read The Daily Courier.

SOCIETY.

Well Attended Meeting.

Largely attended was the regular meeting of the Teachers' Training Class of the Christian Sunday school held last evening in the church parlor. The topic for study was discussed at length and much benefit was derived by the teachers from the interesting discussions of the lesson.

A. O. H. Celebration.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the A. O. H. will be held Thursday evening in Stader's hall. Arrangements will likely be made by the ladies for the annual celebration of St. Patrick's Day. It is probable that the celebration will be held in the Armory.

Will Entertain at Bridge. Mrs. Eugene T. Norton will entertain at bridge Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at her home on East Main street in honor of Mrs. Audley Starnes of New Castle, a sister of Mrs. L. S. Hyatt, and Miss Margaret Norton, who leaves soon for Arizona and California.

Pastor's Aids Meet.

The Pastor's Aids of the First Presbyterian Church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Miss Anne White on Peach street. Arrangements were completed for an exchange to be held Saturday morning in C. W. Down's shoe shop.

Squire Marries Couple. Charles M. VanHorn and Miss Ardelice Zuvileigne of Allegheny county were married Saturday afternoon by Squire P. M. Buttermore at his office on Main street, West Side.

BASKETBALL TONIGHT.

Alumni and High School Teams Meet at the Armory.

A rattling good basketball game is scheduled for the Armory this evening when the High School and Alumni quintets meet. The Alumni five have an idea they can put one over on the High School boys. The latter are prepared for a stiff game. The lineup will be: Alumni, Brickman and Morison, forwards; Bishop, center; Myers and Casper, guards. High School, Marshall and Scott, forwards; Buttermore, center; Dilworth and M. Bishop, guards.

The game will be called promptly at 8:15 o'clock.

PERSONALS.

Miss Jean R. Snyder arrived here from New Castle last evening for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Snyder. Squire and Mrs. P. M. Buttermore of the West Side, visited their son, Frank Buttermore and his family, in Greensboro, over Sunday.

Mrs. D. J. Hoover is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joseph Dixon, in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. L. S. McKee is in Pittsburgh today on business. She is visiting relatives and friends in Pittsburgh.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stader are visiting in Pittsburgh today.

Mrs. J. L. Kendall and daughter of Pittsburgh, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gaffey over Sunday.

Miss Helia Long of New Wilmington, Pa., returned home this morning after a visit with friends here.

The great American drama, "Paid in Full," at the Solakon theatre, matinee and night, Saturday, February 22. Matinee prices 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents. Seats on sale today at the theatre. Both phones.

C. E. Noonan of Danville, Ill., was here over Sunday. A student at Slippery Rock State Normal, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gallagher, of the West Side.

Mrs. C. E. Edwards of Broad Ford, was shopping in town yesterday.

Dr. H. A. Gans of State Salem, was a Connelville visitor yesterday.

Edward Buttermore of Scottdale, visited friends in Pittsburgh yesterday.

If you want to laugh see Murray & Sons, very comic. At Lyric.

Miss Sara McDuffett was in Uniontown yesterday on business.

Miss Rita Butcher visited friends in Pittsburgh yesterday.

A. M. Simpson of Uniontown, was in town yesterday on business.

J. R. Davidson, a student at Washington & Jefferson College, at Washington, Pa., spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davidson, Sr.

First theatre, the value for 10c. Thursday, at Artman's.

The Misses Willy of Scottdale, were calling on friends in town yesterday afternoon.

Misses Mabel and Nellie Rubens of Dawson, were in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Miller were at Highland street, Pittsburgh, at the funeral of the former's mother, Mrs. Elijah Miller.

Albert Washington, Original Red Hot Rhythm Acrobatic Dancer, Monologist and Singing Comedian at Lyric.

Mrs. A. O. Bixler and son A. O. Jr., and daughter, Ruth, were among the out of town guests present at the celebration of the sixtieth birthday anniversary of Edward Smith which took place Sunday at his home in Greensboro, Pennsylvania.

H. M. Kephart, C. W. McClellan, and Attorney J. K. Rimer and E. C. Higbee were among the Connelville

persons in Uniontown yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. John Jarrett of Pennville, were Connelville visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Ehrenfeld were the guests of friends in Greensboro Sunday.

Miss Viola Morrison of the West Side, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Roy Braham, of Uniontown.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

The following persons were registered yesterday and today at the hotel hotels:

Royal. W. W. Barron, New York; J. A. Brohny, New York; W. M. Becker, Homewood; F. S. Cutton, New York; W. H. Kimble, Pittsburgh; M. Summels, Pittsburgh; L. Silverman, Baltimore; E. L. Duffy, Philadelphia; L. L. Kaber, Canton, O.; W. S. Dodd, Philadelphia; J. P. Bender, Johnstown; J. K. Bechtel, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Shuman, Philadelphia; J. T. Mitchell, Uniontown; K. H. Lewis, Boston; J. H. Kneaser, Boston; C. E. Miller, Boston.

Wyann. F. E. Tuit, Uniontown; Andrew Fraser, Pittsburgh; C. Duckworth, Pittsburgh; R. B. Patterson, Indiana, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Brooks, Baltimore; M. R. Simons, Elkhart, Ind.; G. A. Long, Philadelphia, Md.; Grove Carroll, McKeesport; H. S. Rhodes, Uniontown; A. H. Stiel, Philadelphia; W. J. Montgomery, Bolivar; J. G. Kelp, Pittsburgh; J. L. Johnson, Bolivar; J. A. Tweedy, Greensburg; Robert Wheeler, Weirsburg, W. Va.; W. Dack, Philadelphia; M. B. Montgomery, Grove City; J. B. Minder, Ohio; Antonio Soli, Pittsburgh; D. R. Adams, Pittsburgh; J. Shegahan, Duquesne; M. P. Hutchison, Pittsburgh.

Yough House. C. A. Slayle, Pittsburgh; C. Hatelick, Pittsburgh; H. M. Gray, Philadelphia; W. H. Mills, Pittsburgh; R. D. Still, Pittsburgh; Edward Morgan, Pittsburgh; H. Deor, Pittsburgh; J. B. Limpert, Pittsburgh; H. P. Ruck, Greensburg; P. M. Doyle, Greensburg; J. C. Pahl, Indian Creek; E. S. Follmer, Baltimore; J. C. Ramsey, Somerset; H. M. White, Philadelphia; J. J. Newton, and wife, Baltimore; J. Henderson, Pittsburgh; H. V. Jemer, Baltimore; J. J. Ballen, Pittsburgh; H. J. McCarthy, Pittsburgh; A. Crawford, Pittsburgh; P. L. Young, Salem, Va.

Arlington. W. H. Helene, New York; R. S. Latta, McKeesport; S. M. Kintner, New York; S. N. Smith, Pittsburgh; E. L. Brown, Pittsburgh; R. M. Carston, Pittsburgh; M. Kestland, Pittsburgh; C. J. Travers, Pittsburgh; J. W. Travers, Pittsburgh; P. B. Baimor, Pittsburgh; F. R. Weesman, Pittsburgh; R. D. Dinmore, New York; L. Levine, Philadelphia; W. Head, Greensburg; R. G. Trimble, Pittsburgh; J. J. McAlesse, Pittsburgh; C. F. Schuman, Philadelphia; R. S. Moss, Uniontown; W. W. Weikid, Pittsburgh; A. H. Stiel, Pittsburgh; A. Boyd, Hellwood; G. B. Allmond, New York; W. A. Gilleland, Wilkingsburg; J. D. Freedman, New York; F. B. Jackson, Boston.

TO CURE A COUGH IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if fails to cure. A. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

DEATHS.

DAWSON, Feb. 22.—Mrs. George Dawson, died at her home, 1000 Cochran street, Monday morning at 8 o'clock, aged 45 years. Cancer of the stomach caused her death. She is survived by her husband and four children. The funeral will be held at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist Episcopal Church. The pastor, H. C. Chaskey, officiating. Interment will be made at West Newton. The funeral party will leave on the P. & E. L. train due at Dickerson Run at 2:15 P. M.

BREAK UP THAT COLD IN A DAY.

You can stop a cough or a cold as it by magic by just breathing soothing, healing Hyomei over the nose, law and inflamed membrane.

This is from a man who knows. "Mrs. Mager and myself have used your Inhaler faithfully whenever needed and it has always given instant relief and saved us from many severe colds."

The above is voluntarily given and if in your estimation its use as a testimonial would help to get others to use it, I will gladly have you do so, as we consider it a wonderful discovery and recommend it whenever opportunity presents itself." F. W. Mager, Contracting Freight Agent, C. H. & D. Ry. Co., Cincinnati, Ohio. Oct. 22, 1909.

Don't fool with stomach troubles; try magical Hyomei at once; it relieves a stuffed up head in two minutes.

A complete Hyomei outfit, including Inhaler and one bottle of Hyomei, costs only \$1.00 at druggists everywhere and at A. A. Clark's. It is guaranteed to cure catarrh, croup, coughs, colds, sore throat and bronchitis or money back. Extra bottles of Hyomei, if afterward needed, cost but 50 cents.

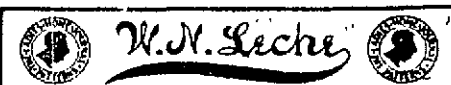
M-I-O-N-A Cures indigestion

It relieves stomach misery, sour stomach, belching, and cures all stomach diseases or money back. Large box of tablets 50 cents. Druggists in all towns.



YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE LONESOME to be good to yourself. Make your feet comfortable and stylish looking by coming here for your shoes and you will find yourself in plenty of good company. OUR NEW SPRING FOOTWEAR. Includes some of the latest and most swaggy styles we have ever seen or shown. They are of various leathers and of course all sizes in both the men's and women's shoes. You cannot see them without admiring.

JOHN IRWIN. The Shoe Man.



NEW SPRING SUITS



See Our Display of New Spring Suits.

All the most seasonable fabrics in the new shades of grey, blue and tan are shown also navy and black. The Coats are trimmed with fancy braids and from 30 to 34 inches in length with two, three or four buttons.

The Skirts are in dress or walking lengths; some are plain pleated, others are cluster pleated.

Walking lengths are sure to be very popular this Spring.

These Suits are all guaranteed to be absolutely up-to-date for style, fit and finish.

Prices Are \$12.50, \$15, \$16.50, \$22.50, \$25 and \$30

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at Union Supply Company's stores, we are cleaning up, cleaning out, a thorough rummage sale. Every department in every one of our sixty-three large stores are offering the greatest bargains of the season. Perhaps there is a man in the family who needs a suit of clothes, perhaps a boy who needs a suit of clothes, perhaps the women or girls need new dresses or new coats, perhaps you want to buy underwear, hosiery, gloves or other warm clothing. It may be beds or bed clothing or perhaps household articles, all of these lines and many others will be offered to you now for a period of thirty days at one-half the actual value.

THERE IS GREAT BARGAINS IN SHOES.

Every member of the family can save money by purchasing their footwear now at the Union Supply Company's stores. It is most important to keep your feet dry and warm and here is your chance to avoid the outlay of money for doctor bills. Take time to go to one of our stores, you will find many opportunities for investment.

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When You Feel Played Out

There comes a time when your grip on things weakens. Your nerves are unstrung, the vital forces low, the stomach is weak and the blood impoverished. You feel old age creeping over you. Be careful of yourself. Take

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HICKEY CHILD LAID TO REST.

Little Victim of Sudden Death
From Diphtheria of
Scottsdale.

HOPE FOR OTHER CHILDREN

Washington's Birthday is Being Observed Throughout Town—Orangers Getting Ready For Their Big Meeting on Saturday—Other Notes.

SCOTSDALE, Feb. 22.—The body of Thomas, the 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Hickey, well known residents of this locality for many years, was buried from the Hickey home yesterday afternoon. The funeral was private by reason of the child's death from diphtheria, and the burial took place within 36 hours. The other children who have the same disease are said not to be in a dangerous condition, and it is expected that they will recover. The death of the child came with stunning force and quickness on the stricken parents, who have the sympathy of the whole community in their misfortune.

It was known that the dead child and a brother had been attending the parochial school, walking in from their home a mile west of town, and the Board of Health on hearing of the disease existing in the home, began an investigation regarding the matter. Health Officer Frank P. Goshorn visited St. John's school yesterday and found that neither of the children had been in school for several days on account of the rough weather. There is no danger apprehended of the disease in the school.

It is said that the diphtheria was introduced at first for toothache, a perfectly natural mistake, and one which the State Department of Health has special stress upon in reporting to a physician any kind of sore throat, it being likely to develop into something very serious and unexpected. This has happened frequently and the State Department is endeavoring to spread as widely as possible the necessity of viewing with suspicion all kinds of sore throat until they prove themselves without danger.

Tyrene Club Banquet.
The annual banquet of the Tyrene Club, a prosperous social organization of Tyre, will be held in their club house this evening, with all the members present and a number of guests. A very handsome program is being prepared for the occasion.

"Paid in Full."
At the Solson theatre matinee and night Saturday, Feb. 26. Matinee prices 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents. This is the farthest performance of this great play. Seals now on sale at theatre. Both phones.

Holiday Being Observed.
Washington's Birthday anniversary is being observed in town today, the postoffice being closed at 11:30 and remaining closed until 6:00. The banks and trust companies are not doing business, but in the windows of some of these institutions there are very handsome portraits of Washington, surrounded by a huge American flag. A particularly fine portrait is the one in the First National Bank window, an expensive etching of the entire background of the picture being made of a flag.

Physician's Sudden Death.
Dr. Charles C. Hurlburt, one of Pennsylvania's prominent physicians, died yesterday from blood poisoning and pneumonia. Attending a child with diphtheria he had inserted his finger in the child's mouth to make the child vomit, when the little patient closed its teeth on the finger bringing the blood. Blood poisoning soon followed, complicated by pneumonia. The doctor was a leading member of the Westmoreland County Medical Society. President L. T. Gilbert and Secretary J. P. Strickler of town sent notices to all the members in the county yesterday, announcing the death and that the members would attend the funeral tomorrow afternoon.

Farmers' Meeting Saturday.
The Grangers of Scottsdale and vicinity are preparing for the big meeting to be held here on Saturday, and countless cooking stoves in the rural districts are burning brightly in the preparation of eatings to be set out that day. Each farmer is to bring a friend to the meeting which will be an all-day affair in the Grangers' hall in the Elches & Grate building. The dinner will be a big feature, and will show how the farmers can live those days.

"Jimmy Cupid."
A new musical comedy by Miss Marie Benford will be presented at the Colonial theatre Saturday evening, February 26th. Its box office is at Thomas & Brown's store, both phones. **Sid Tale of a Calf.**
The following incident, about high prices of living stuff in which the farmer is unjustly blamed, is told by one of the agriculturists, a tale of truth and veracity, whose word is unquestioned among his neighbors. He says that not long ago he had a calf ready for butchering and sold it to a butcher. The latter asked the farmer if he did not want a quarter of the calf when it was butchered. The farmer, finding some fresh meat, said the calf was, and on the day set for the butchering the farmer sent his boy to bring his quarter of meat home, adding for him to bring the bill with him. "As the calf was a little fat," said the farmer, "the boy brought the quarter of meat

More Remonstrances Filed Against License Applicants In Somerset Co.

Special to The Courier.
SOMERSET, Feb. 22.—In addition to the remonstrances against the granting of a number of retail liquor licenses filed on Saturday, the following three have been filed since that time.
A remonstrance against G. J. Wagoner of Hooversville, proprietor of the Grand Central Hotel in that town, which alleges that the license is not necessary. The paper is signed by 177 residents of Hooversville.
Two remonstrances against M. E. Klare of Jerome, an applicant for license for a new hotel. The first remonstrance is signed by 21 residents of Jerome and sets forth that the village of Jerome is situated partly in Jenner and partly in Conemaugh townships, that both parts of the town are without police protection, that although the petition for license sets forth that the hotel is located in Conemaugh township, yet the residents of that part of the town which is located in Jenner township will be affected by the disturbances and disorder caused by intoxicated persons. The remonstrance also sets forth that there is now one hotel in Jerome, which is amply sufficient for the accommodation of the traveling public.
The second remonstrance against the granting of a retail license to Mr. Klare states that the population of Jerome is largely composed of persons employed in the coal mines nearby and that most of these persons live in houses owned and furnished to them by the coal companies, and that the only way these persons will have for a hotel will be to obtain there intoxicating liquor. The remonstrance also alleges that Mr. Klare will only provide accommodation for the public in case he is granted license. This remonstrance also alleges that Mr. Klare will only provide accommodation for the public in case he is granted license. This remonstrance is signed by 104 residents of Conemaugh township, among which names appear the signatures of many women.
It is stated that within a day or two there will be filed several other remonstrances against the granting of liquor license.

back with him and the bill with it, and the price the butcher sold the meat at made me, after the meat was paid for by the butcher, in his debt 25 cents. That quarter through the butcher's hands was worth 25 cents more than the whole calf when the butcher bought it."

Round Table Meets.
The Physicians Round Table held its regular meeting in the office of Dr. N. E. Shiley last evening, with a good attendance present.

Rehearsal Tonight.
The rehearsal of the mock trial to be given by local talent, and which is creating a good deal of interest in town, will be held at the church at 7 o'clock this evening. The trial will take place on Friday evening.

WASHINGTON-LINCOLN PARTY

Given by Miss Annagrace Cochran For School Friends.
Miss Annagrace Cochran entertained a number of her school friends at a Washington-Lincoln party at her home in Dawson Friday evening. The appointments were carried out in the national colors, red and white prevailing. Music and various games, including a cranberry hunt and guessing contest were the diversions of the evening. Misses Helen Bell, Ruth and Gladys Laughrey won in the cranberry hunt and Miss Susan Craig won the guessing contest. At 9 o'clock a prettily appointed luncheon of five courses was served. The favors were dainty paper hats, caps and ruffs of the Martha Washington type.

The guests present were the Misses Esther Willey, Helen Bell, Ruth, Helen May Sherbondy, Gladys and Grace Laughrey, Susan Craig, Lucy Costa, Catherine Cochran, Alvina Snyder and Gertrude Carmichael.

IT IS FOR LADIES, TOO.

They Can Stop Their Hair Falling Out With Harpicide.
Ladies who have thin hair and whose hair is falling out, can prevent the hair falling out, and thicken the growth, with Newbro's "Harpicide." Besides, Harpicide is one of the most agreeable hair dressings there is. Harpicide kills the dandruff germ that eats the hair off at the root. After the germ is destroyed, the root will shoot up, and the hair grow long as ever. Even a sample will convince any lady that Newbro's Harpicide is an indispensable toilet requisite. It contains no oil or grease, it will not stain or dye. Sold by leading druggists and we in stamps for sample to The Harpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.
One dollar bottles guaranteed; Graham & Co., Special Agents.

Cumberland's Grains Green.
CUMBERLAND, Md., Feb. 22.—Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Oscar Waugerman and Maude Holmer, both of Har, Pa.; Samuel McGill and Zora Koenig, both of Johnstown; Howard Griffin and Nellie Wecker, both of Altoona; Oscar Rhodes and Eva Erb, both of Meyersdale, Pa.; Edward Taylor Monesson, Pa.; and Isabella Murphy, Bellefonte, Pa.; Thomas Patterson, Wilton, Pa., and Gertrude P. Dutch, Enon Valley, Pa.

Demand Heavy For Passover Flour.
Columbiana, O., Feb. 22.—Over 2,000 barrels of flour to be used in the manufacturing of unleavened bread in Pittsburgh are being ground here.

Man Killed at Smithton.
Angol Zannardella, aged 27 years, was killed by a train on the B. & O. railroad, near Smithton, Sunday morning.

Huntingdon High School Students And Educators Have Fine Banquet.

Special to The Courier.
ALVERTON, Feb. 22.—The other evening the teachers and students of the East Huntingdon Township High School entertained the teachers and students of the Elches Grade. There were 112 of the elite of the township present and all were ready to give and receive the many good things that went the rounds. Some of the High School students made excellent addresses thus in an able manner set a good example to those who will soon follow in their footsteps. After the banquet and the speeches the Elches grade students were shown through the building opening their eyes to the wonders of the library and laboratory where all sorts of mechanical handwork were displayed.
Prof. H. K. Rhodes made the address of welcome which was followed with a rousing "America" and a

Soisson Theatre, SATURDAY, 26 FEBRUARY

Matinee and Night.

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PAID IN FULL
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With the Original Production and a Company of DISTINGUISHED PLAYERS. Direct From the Astor Theatre, New York.
Prices: Matinee, 25, 35, 50, 75; Night, 25, 35, 50, 75, \$1. Boxes \$1.50.
SPECIAL NOTICE.—Note the prizes given by the Daily News for the best essay on "Paid in Full."
Seats on sale at theatre. Both phones.

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WILL CELEBRATE
HOMECOMING OF
WILLIAM J. BRYAN.



NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Friends of William Jennings Bryan are arranging to give him an enthusiastic reception on his arrival here from his tour of Central and South America. Mr. Bryan is expected to reach New York the last week in February. He will probably deliver an address telling of his experiences among our southern neighbors. Among the men who will welcome Mr. Bryan formally are the following: Norman E. Mack, Robert Chandler, Augustus Thomas, Lewis Nixon, Nathan Straus, George Fred Williams, Henry George and Herman A. Metz.

P. Worthington, Piano Tuner.
Orders received at Wallace's Furniture store for two weeks.

PROFESSIONAL TEACHING.
The California Normal One of the Model Schools of the State—its Complete Equipment and Competent Teachers.

Are you teaching? Do you expect to teach? Do you intend your boy or girl to teach? Of course, in any case you will want to attend a Normal School, for two or three reasons. First, you want to be a trained teacher, a professional. Second, the public more and more demands that kind of teacher. And third, probably least, you get a larger salary by being a trained teacher.

Have you selected the Normal School you will attend? If you have not, look into the merits of the Southwestern, at California. If you want to play, go to school for a good time, get a diploma that hasn't been won, don't read any further; we are not after you. A Normal School should be a professional training school, not an academy for the lower branches. We claim to be doing that professional work, bending every energy to that one end, with the result that our graduates get positions, get them at good salaries. We have the best and largest Model School in the State, and that is the heart of any Normal School. The Training Teachers in the Model School are the best we can find. Think these things over. Professional work our aim; the training of teachers our chief

INTRODUCTORY SPRING SPECIAL TODAY.

\$8.50 Lingerie Dresses \$5.90

Every dress in the collection embodies the most pronounced styles for early Spring 1910. Made of beautiful white and floral design lingerie, trimmed with val lace and insertion.

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A Special Shoe Sale This Week.

EVERY PAIR OF SHOES IN THE STORE REDUCED 20 PER CENT. A RARE OPPORTUNITY. BUY YOUR SHOES NOW.

Men's Brockton Dress Shoes, bals or blucher, in patent colt, gun metal, kangaroo, vici kid, or box calf, worth \$4.00, this week \$3.20
Men's Brockton Dress Shoes, bals or blucher, in patent colt, velour, gun metal or box calf, worth \$3.50, this week \$2.80
Men's Dress Shoes (Eudicot Johnson Co.) patent colt, gun metal, box calf or velour, worth \$3.00, this week \$2.40
Men's Dress Shoes in patent colt, gun metal, velour or box calf, worth \$2.25, this week \$1.80
Men's Dress Shoes in patent leather, gun metal, box calf or velour, regular price \$2.00, this week \$1.60
See our Men's Working Shoes. We can surely please you. All men's working shoes and youths' and boys' shoes reduced 20 per cent.
Ladies' Fine Shoes, "Pingree Made" worth \$3.50, this week \$2.80
Ladies' Fine Shoes, "Pingree Made" worth \$3.00, this week \$2.40
Ladies' Fine Shoes, worth \$2.50, this week \$2.00
Ladies' Fine Shoes, worth \$2.00, this week \$1.60
Ladies' and Misses' Fine Shoes, worth \$1.50, this week \$1.20
A splendid line of Ladies' "Easy Shoes" for tender feet reduced on same basis.

All Infants' and Children's Shoes Reduced 20 Per Cent. this Week.

THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS IN THE DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.
1,000 Yards India Linon, worth 12 1/2c, this week, per yard 7 1/2c
Extra Quality 36 inch Black Taffeta Silk, worth \$1.15, this week, per yard 82c
Fine Quality 36 inch Colored Taffeta, colors, navy, brown, rose and garnet, worth \$1.00, this week 82c
Beautiful Foulard Silks, 27 inches wide, colors, Alice, rose, tan and green, worth \$1.00, this week, yard 82c

GROCERY DEPARTMENT—THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL PRICES.

50 lbs. Corner Stone Flour, best sold in Connellsville for \$1.70	Finest Quality Somerset county Home-Made Apple Butter, 5 lb. Jars or Pails, each 50c
Best Ham, per lb. 17c	10 lb. Pails Apple Butter 90c
Best Pure Lard, per lb. 18c	5 lb. Pail Maple Leaf Preserves 50c
25 lbs. Fine Granulated Sugar \$1.40	5 lbs. Navy Beans 25c
Best Quality Rio Coffee, per lb. 15c	4 lbs. Lima Beans 25c
No. 1 Santos Coffee, 3 lbs. for 50c, or per lb. 18c	4 lbs. Roman Beans 25c
1 lb. Splendid Quality Mix Tea with Large Dish 50c	3 lbs. Fancy Prunes 25c
1 10-lb. sack Corn Meal 25c	3 lbs. Choice Evaporated Peaches 25c
1 10-lb. sack Lard Herring 75c	2 lbs. Fancy Evaporated Peaches 25c
3 cans Good Pink Salmon (tall) 25c	1 1/2 lb. Package Fancy Evaporated Apples 13c
1 can Extra Red Salmon (flat) 18c	1 1/2 lb. Package Fancy Evaporated Blackberries 15c
1 can Fancy Red Salmon (flat) 25c	1 1/2 lb. Package Fancy Evaporated Raspberries 35c
6 cans Oil Sardines 25c	3 lbs. Fancy Head Rice 25c
3 large Cans Mustard Sardines 25c	6 lbs. Good Quality Broken Rice (Carolina) 25c
Fine New Mince, extra large, each 15c	3 lbs. Seeded Raisins 25c
Fancy Red Salmon, 3 to 4 lbs each, per lb. 10c	Best Quality Creamery Butter, per lb. 38c
Cod Fish Bricks, each 10c	3 Bottles Ammonia 10c
Fresh Eggs, per dozen 32c	10 cakes Linnet Soap 25c
Fresh Fish and Oysters, Thursday and Friday.	3 5c-Boxes Matches 10c

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STICK TO THE CONSTITUTION.

In Philadelphia Speech Perseus Pricks Some of Utopia's Prettiest Bubbles.

HE STANDS FOR WATERWAYS

Pennsylvania Leader Heads Senatorial Delegation at White House Conference and Administration Measures Are to Be Given Consideration.

PHILADELPHIA, February 22.—United States Senator Peter Perseus has placed himself on record as being emphatically opposed to hasty legislation by Congress. He does not believe that all the ills, near and far, are curable by congressional action and in a recent speech in Philadelphia he was actually cruel enough to prick some of the prettiest bubbles of Utopia with his unromantic, horse-sense jab. "The Constitution," he contended was good enough for him and he advised the people to stick to that sacred instrument and he urged that the people should not legislate in haste and repent at leisure.

Senator Perseus made it painfully plain that every grievance, imaginary and real, hardly justified action by the national legislature and he protested against the growing custom of putting up to the United States Congress every domestic problem ranging from the training of pot dogs to the regulation of the corner grocery.

To be sure, Senator Perseus has not been constantly annoyed by the petty grievances of his constituents. He has been exceedingly fortunate in having at his back a fairly contented constituency and a party organization that is simply perfect, yet his position in the senate has forced upon him many of the annoying and confusing demands which are constantly being laid upon his colleagues and the national administration and he is in position, therefore, to talk free and with more frankness on the propositions and theories which the average layman realizes are more pots of the uplift without purpose other than to confuse. Senator Perseus is a prominent member of the finance committee of the senate. He is chairman of the senate committee on post-offices and post roads regarded as the most important committee of the distinguished body. He is also a member of the committee on public expenditures and in addition he is the confident and adviser of the President. His responsibility is as great if not greater than that of any other member of the senate. He rarely ever talks without real preparation, but when he does talk he invariably says something worth while. At the Philadelphia meeting the other evening among other interesting things he said:

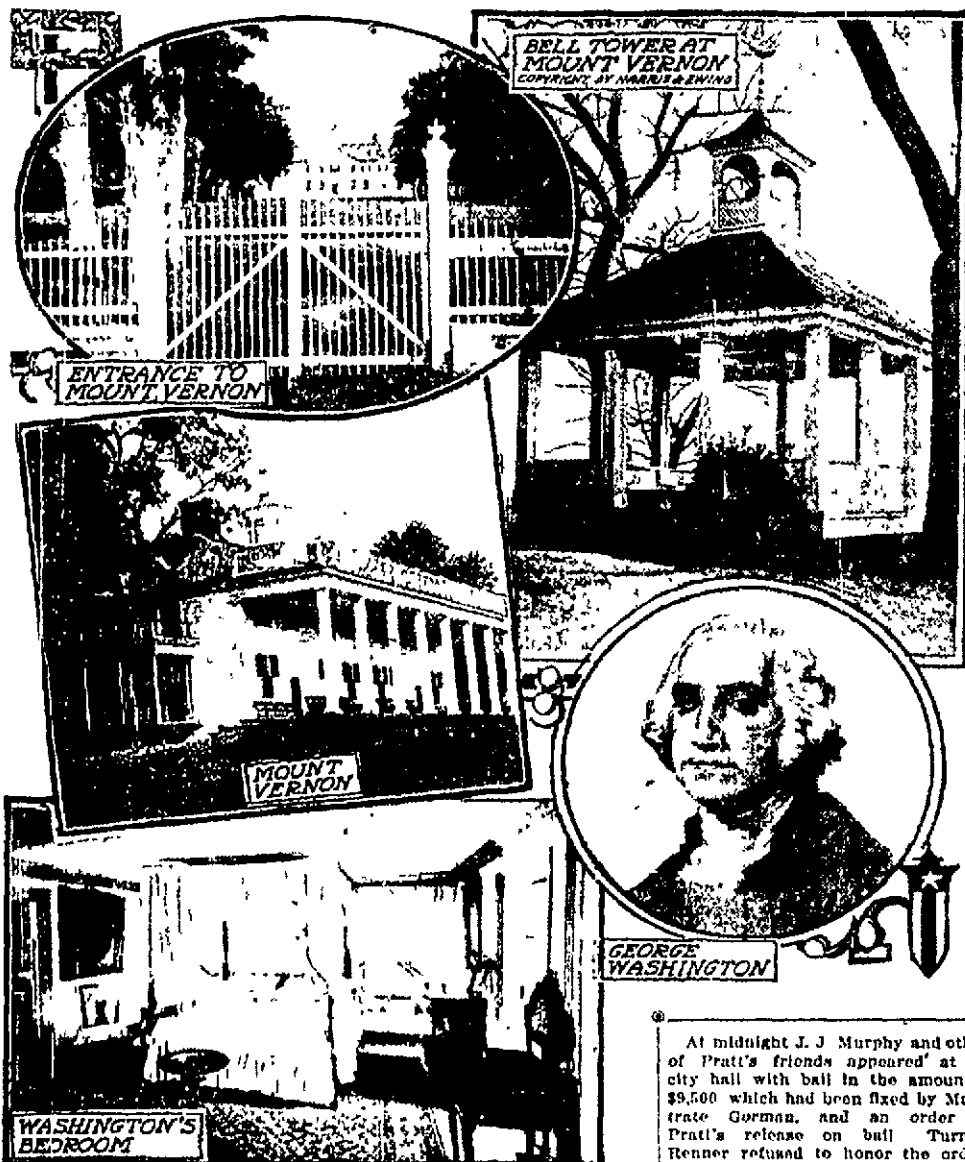
"There is a growing tendency to appeal to the federal government on every occasion. The tendency is a dangerous one and is likely to be intolerable to the greater States, like Pennsylvania. The laws relative to such subjects as industrial conditions are the proper subjects for state legislation. While it is true that uniformity may be desirable in a limited number of matters, yet uniformity of a Chinese character in a nation of ninety millions of people, occupying a continent of every variety of climate, is not desirable."

Legislation which applies fairly well in England, Germany and France Senator Perseus contended might not work as well in this country largely because of the larger area here. He pointed out that certain portions of the country's population were a "trifle up in the air," and he advised that everybody come down and try the solid level for a while. Senator Perseus did not call out against any of the real reforms proposed. Many of them he insisted should be enacted promptly, but he argued honestly and sincerely that any of the reforms to be adopted should be approached intelligently, cautiously and with a full realization of the problems involved. Real reform only could be expected from such processes. The American government, Senator Perseus argued, was not intended to be subject to immediate changes upon every blast of popular sentiment. It was to be a government of checks and balances, and public sentiment was not expected to be crystallized into law until time might elapse to ascertain its maturity and permanence.

Senator Perseus on Thursday night of last week headed a small delegation of senators who held a prolonged conference with President Taft at the White House. The plans were carefully considered and finally approved and it is confidently expected that all the administration measures now pending will be taken up and if possible passed finally at the earliest possible time. Among the important measures considered was the postal savings bank bill and it is quite likely that the bill will be finally passed in the senate during the current week. The incoming Republicans acting with the Democrats in both branches of Congress threaten to fight all the important administration bills by consuming time with an endless array of speeches and objections, but Senator Perseus has declared that the several important bills will be passed, the opposition notwithstanding.

MOUNT VERNON, WASHINGTON'S HOME, GOAL OF BIRTHDAY PILGRIMAGES.

Since 1878 Mount Vernon, the home and burial place of George Washington, has been the goal of many patriotic pilgrims. The house has two stories, and the lower floor contains six rooms, which are filled with objects of historic interest. The house was built in 1743 by Washington's older brother, Lawrence Washington, who named it after Admiral Vernon, under whom he served in the British navy.



LEADER JAILED.

Pratt's Arrest May Prolong Strike in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Feb. 22.—C. O. Pratt, the captain general of the army of carmen who are striking against the Philadelphia Rapid Transit company, was arrested last night and lodged, charged with conspiracy and inciting riot. The director of public safety, Henry Clay, who houses, under Mayor Royburn, a force of police that has proved wholly ineffective, called four plain clothes men into his office and told them to get the strike leader wherever he could be found. He had an idea, old Clay, that Pratt would show fight and that there would be a fine time that would further discredit the strikers.

NEW PEARY REWARD BILL

Representative Bates Would Honor North Pole Discoverer.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Another Peary reward bill was introduced in the house of representatives. Representative Bates of Pennsylvania, a member of the committee on naval affairs, is the author. He proposes to retire Mr. Peary as a member of the corps of United States civil engineers with the rank and pay of a rear admiral.

WOULD GO BACK TEN YEARS

New York State Senator Wants Deep Investigation of Any Bribery.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 22.—Without consulting the Republican leaders in the legislature Senator Newcomb (Republican, Manhattan) last night introduced a resolution providing for an investigation of any bribery which may have occurred in the legislature during the last ten years. Mr. Newcomb takes the unprecedented course in his resolution of taking upon himself the naming of the senators and assemblymen who shall comprise this investigating committee. Senator Newcomb said that the naming of the committee perhaps was unprecedented, but the exigencies of the situation was the excuse. The resolution was referred to the finance committee without debate.

Enjoyment stops where indolence begins.—Pollock.

ALDRICH KNOWS

How He Could Run Government at Great Saving.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Senator Aldrich said that if permitted to do so he would undertake to run the government of the United States for \$300,000,000 a year less than it now costs. He was not presenting a formal proposition, but was making a speech to the senate on his bill providing for the creation of a commission to reform the business methods of the government.

He pleaded earnestly for the authority, saying that present methods were obsolete and involved the annual loss of at least \$100,000,000 a year. At his instance the bill was so amended as to provide that the commission should be composed entirely of members of congress—five senators and five members of the house.

TO BUST TRUST.

Plan of Federal Officers Regarding the Beef Combine.

Chicago, Feb. 22.—An indictment of the National Packing company as a corporation, to be followed by proceedings calculated to break up the alleged close combination of the affiliated interests, following the dissolution, in the present plan of the federal officers, according to a report current here.

CHARGES AGAINST PRATT A SECRET.

Pratt's Hottentots hustled around town trying to get bail or at least a copy of the charges against their colleague. They received promises of more than enough security but they were not able to put their fingers upon a copy of the charges. It was plainly indicated by Clay that Pratt would be held without bail and that nobody was to be permitted to look at the charges.

KING ED BREAKS ALL PRECEDENTS.

Refuses to Identify Himself With Ministers' Policies.

ENGLISHMEN ARE ASTONISHED

First Time in Modern Political History That English Sovereign Has Not Followed Constitutional Practice of Enunciating Declarations.

London, Feb. 22.—For the first time in the modern political history of Great Britain, the sovereign has refused to identify himself with the policy of his ministers. This is the striking feature of the king's speech delivered at the opening of parliament. The attitude of his majesty amused his hearers in both houses and astonished the whole country.

In announcing the program of the government in dealing with the deadlock between the lords and commons King Edward insisted upon inserting the words "in the opinion of my advisers." This act of independence on the part of the monarch means much and will have a far-reaching effect on the general political situation.

Little in Speech, Says Balfour. After the usual humble address in reply to the speech from the throne had been moved and seconded Right Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, the Unionist leader, arose and said that whatever else might be said of the "gracious speech from the throne," there was very little in it. The only legislation foreshadowed, he declared, was some alteration in the relations of the house of commons and possibly some alteration in the constitution of the house of lords.

BANDIT HANEY TRAPPED

Desperado Boasts He Will Never Be Taken Alive.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 22.—Bill Haney, outlaw, murderer and bandit, who held up a Canadian Pacific railway train near Ashcroft, British Columbia, about two years ago, has been tracked to Calabazas, a wild mountain region at the head of the San Fernando valley, twenty-five miles from here.

Canadian officers are hidden in the fastnesses of the rough country, prepared to arrest him and render unavailing his oath that he will never be captured alive. Bill Haney and his brother John, after holding up the train, engaged in a fight with officers and Constable Isaac Decker of Ashcroft was killed. Since then there has been a price of \$4,000 on Haney's head.

PITTSBURG MARKETS.

Butter—Prints, 31¢31½; tubs, 30½¢31; Pennsylvania and Ohio creamery, 30¢31.
Poultry (Live)—Cocks, 9¢10; ducks, 15¢16; turkeys, 25¢26.
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Cattle—Receipts, 85 loads; market a quarter higher. Choice, \$6.75¢7; prime, \$6.50¢6.70; good, \$6.25¢6.40; tidy butchers, \$5.75¢6.25; common, \$4.40¢5; common to good fat bulls, \$3.50¢4; common to good fat cows, \$3.50¢4; heifers, \$3.40¢3.50; fresh cows and springers, \$2.50¢3.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 18 double decks; market a quarter higher or, prime wethers, \$7.75¢7.25; good mixed, \$6.25; fair mixed ewes and wethers, \$5.75¢6.50; culls and common, \$3.40¢5; lambs, \$6.50¢9.25; yearlings, \$6.80¢8.50; veal calves, \$10¢10.50; heavy and thin calves, \$6.00¢7.
Hogs—Receipts, 35 double decks; market lower. Prime heavy, \$9.70¢9.75; medium, \$8.70¢9.70; heavy Yorkers, \$9.65¢9.70; light Yorkers, \$9.50¢9.55; pigs, \$9.50¢9.50, roughs, \$8.50¢9.15.

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Colonel John Sneed's Conversations on Domestic Problems

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VIII.—Dangers of the Elevated Nose

"BUT what's the matter with them, honey?" demanded the colonel. "Ain't they good people? Ain't they honest? Don't they behave themselves about as well as any of your friends? Don't they love papa?" interrupted the daughter. "They're very nice people and I have no fault to find with them but—" And Mrs. Rollins turned up her pretty little nose and gazed silently at the fire.

"I'm huh!" grunted the colonel. "I understand. They just ain't in your class, according to your way of looking at it. But, honey, I wouldn't twist my face up that way if I was you. It'll make wrinkles quicker than anything in the world, and the worst kind of wrinkles too. You know there's wrinkles and wrinkles. Some wrinkles light up the plainest face with beauty. See, honey, that's a fact. And then there's a sort that make the most beautiful face look ugly. You're developin' in some of that kind when you turn up your nose in that way. Oh, huh! I thought that'd make you drop it. And now you're makin' some of the kind that add to beauty—the wrinkles that come from smiles."

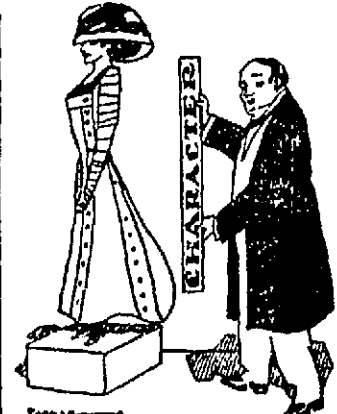
"Yes, indeed, my dear, the turned up nose is a dangerous thing. It not only makes ugly wrinkles on the face but it makes ugly wrinkles on the brain. Now, think about that, don't you? No, I reckon not, but it's true. I never saw a human brain, but they say it's all covered over with wrinkles and the scientific fellows have a lot of theories about them. But I've got a notion that they're caused by the same thoughts and feelings and emotions that put the lines on the countenance. Anyhow, if an elevated nose don't make its mark on the outside of the brain it does on the inside, and it amounts to the same thing, for the movements of the face that go to make up what we call expression are nothing more than the sign of the workin' of the mind. When you curl up your little proboscis, like you did a bit ago, that's a sign that you was thinkin' yourself a little better, maybe a whole lot better, than the people we was talkin' about."

"Now, honey, I want to tell you that that's a pretty risky attitude for any body to take. I believe in a man thinkin' well of himself or a woman thinkin' well of herself, but when you begin to make comparisons between yourself and other folks to the disadvantage of the other folks you're gettin' on dangerous ground, for two reasons. In the first place you're cultivatin' an opinion of yourself that ain't warranted by the facts. You're sittin' yourself up on a pedestal that's full of cracks, and one of these fine days it'll crumble to pieces and down you'll drop like a load of bricks, for whenever a man or a woman raises himself in his mind above his fellows he's gettin' ready for a fall. If he don't topple over of himself somebody will pull out the props from under him and then the people he's been lookin' down on will look down on him and laugh—just laugh. That's the second reason why the turned up nose is bad business. It spoils you, and then it spoils your friends, for the habit of thought that expresses itself in the turned up nose is fatal to the kind of self esteem that everybody ought to have, and it's fatal to friends."

A WOMAN'S PERSPECTIVE.
"You are honey, an elevated nose is a good deal like one of those old fashioned blunderbusses—it hits a whole lot of people that you didn't aim at and whoever it hits it hurts. Nobody can tell where it's goin' to strike and so they get in the habit of dodgin' whenever it comes around. There's a good many folks you can soil and abuse and they'll take it good without keep on being friends, but just let 'em get the notion that you're sneerin' at 'em and it's all off. Most of us have an idea that we're about as good as the next one and nothin' makes us madder than a turned up nose at the greater difference between us and the rest of the world and they all look at you like you're a fool."

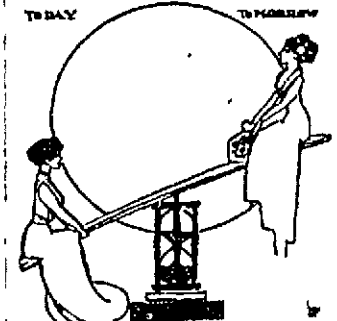
"If you're goin' to get the best there is in the world and out of the people in it you've got to meet folks on the level. You go up to the top of a skyscraper building and look out the window down at the men and women in the street below, and they all look

mighty small—not more'n half as big as you are. But when you go down in the elevator and get out on the pavement you find they average up about the same size as yourself. It's all a matter of the point of view and the turned up nose gives you a wrong perspective. It gives you false notions of your own importance and your own position while everybody else can see that you're just one of the common run of folks and have no right to feel yourself any better than they are. And so you get out of touch and out of sympathy with the rest of the world around you, and then you begin to sour. That's just as certain as that



THE ONLY GOOD YARDSTICK
God made little apples. A sneer in the brain is a sign of fermentation and fermentation, you know, comes mighty close to bein' rotten. Now, then, guttin' right down to brass tacks, as the fellow says, the only reason you've got for elevatin' your nose at the people we was talkin' about is that they don't run in your set. Well, what if they don't? Is your set the standard by which all others have to be measured? I reckon not. It takes all kinds of people to make a world, as you've heard before, and some of the best ones in it make the least show."

You can't tell by lookin' at the people you meet on the street how many of them honestly you and how many above you. You can't tell by lookin' at a woman's clothes or countin' the money she's got in the bank whether you've got a right to look down on her or she's got a right to look down on you. You can't tell by hearin' a woman quote Ibsen whether she's better or worse than you. It ain't money or clothes or blood or culture that counts when it comes to measurin' up men and women. The only yardstick that's good anywhere on earth and in any society is character. That's common or uncommon to rich and poor, and your washer woman may have as much of it and be as much entitled to your respect as the president of your club. One of the two greatest men I ever had the honor to know was a professor of English in the state university the



A MIGHTY WABBLY WORLD
There was a ditch digger who couldn't spell his own name. But even when you size up people according to the standard of your club it ain't safe to turn up your nose for this is a mighty wabby world and the folks that's up today may be down tomorrow, and the ones that's down tomorrow may be up at the top of the heap next week. If you're goin' to judge people by that standard you've got no right to object if they measure you by the same rule and it's mighty embarrassing. I imagine, to find the folks you've been lookin' up your nose at in a position to elevate their noses at you. But, say, little girl, it's bad time and here I've been fussin' and scoldin' the whole evening. Don't you feel bad about it though, honey. Your old daddy thinks you're the dearest ever, but he don't want you to find it out. Good night."

Brief Truths.
The female bargain hunter knows all the counterfeits.
The married beauty always looks upon her husband as the beast.
No woman wants her offspring to pose as an object lesson at a mothers' meeting.
One of the things a man can't understand is why his enemies seem to have so many friends.
The smile of a good woman will do a man more good than a dozen handed to him by a bribe.
After a man has been married a year he can't see any reason why his wife should want a new hat.
It sometimes happens that a man is kept from buying mining stock because he hasn't got the ready cash.
Once in a while a man is too proud to beg and too honest to steal. Then the only alternative he has left is to go to work.
Occasionally a married man does a lot of talking when he is away from home because that is about the only chance he gets.

The Summit of All Art
The art of art is the glory of expression and the simplicity of the light of simplicity. Nothing is better than simplicity. Nothing can make up for excess or for the lack of definiteness.—Walt Whitman.

The Scrap Book

A GREAT SINNER.

Even the Good Deacon Weakened on His Chances For Heaven.

Deacon Broadbent, a very honest and pious man, was conducting a religious revival with great success in a word his powerful exhortations had brought Calhoun White the towns worst sinner, weeping to the mourners bench. The deacon, gratified by this proof of his evangelical prowess, listened to Calhoun's side.

"Deacon," sobbed Calhoun, "I ain't no use in mah comin' up. I've sinned away do day o' grace."

No, yo' hain't Brudder Cal," said the deacon. All yo' got to do is to git up sin an' all will be forgiven."

"I've done gib it up, deacon, but dar hain't no salvation for me."

"Yes, dey is hon. Dey hain't no sin so black but it kin be washed whiter 'o do snow."

"But I done wote for young tuckers last week," said the penitent.

"Dat's all forgiven Cal."

"An' free do work bote."

"Dat's forgiven too."

"An' sis fat geese."

"The deacon suddenly frowned and stiffened while the penitent sinner continued:

"Mix fat geese outer yore own yard, deacon—dem fat geese wot you 'bened to set so much store by."

"Wot's dat yo' say," the deacon hissed furiously.

"It wuz me wot stole yo' fat geese, an'."

The deacon rose.

"I reckon, Calhoun," he said slowly "if yore sinner advise me, I ain't sho' dat we's justified in clutterin' up de kingdom o' hobos wid chick an' chicken."

Didn't Mean That.

"These," said the lecturer indicatin' them with his pointer, "are the movable bath houses. Thousands of people congregate here during the summer season. Over here on the left is the hotel at which I stopped and an exceedingly homelike place it is."

I shall give you a nearer view of it presently. Although I was there a week or two and could gladly have remained longer if I could have spared the time, I did not take any baths for the reason—

[Loud and prolonged laughter.]

"I meant ladies and gentlemen," he resumed after the merriment had subsided, "that I didn't take any baths down at the beach. This audience is altogether too smart"—Baltimore American.

A Task

To be honest to be kind to earn a little and to spend less to make upon the whole, a family budget by his presence to renounce where that shall be necessary and not to be humiliated, to keep a few friends but these without exultation above all on the same terms conditions to keep friends with himself—here is a task for all that a man has of fortitude and delicacy.—Robert Louis Stevenson

He Knew the Rope.

During a special service in a Philadelphia church a few days ago the officiating clergyman engaged in critiquing those wishing to confess conversion to proceed to the altar when a stranger arose from his seat and slowly walked to the altar railing. The visitor informed the minister that he had decided to abandon his present mode of living and turn over a new leaf.

"Brother," said the clergyman, "do you think you can walk the straight and narrow path?"

"Straight and narrow path?" exclaimed the stranger. Why, parson, that will be a cinch for me. I've been a tight rope walker for fifteen years."

Letters by Telephone.

Sunday in London has hitherto been unlike Sunday anywhere else—even in England—by reason of the total absence of mail delivery. Londoners do not expect and do not get letters on Sunday morning. But to fill the gap a special telephone service has been established by the postoffice which undertakes to telephone to the addressee on Sundays letters which are prepaid for that purpose. In addition to the ordinary postage a fee of three pence (9 cents) is charged for every thirty words. Only telephone subscribers, of course, can have their Sunday letters delivered in this way.

Plan to Rescue Chorus Girls.

The rescue of the chorus girl and her reclamation in society is the problem one of Boston's oldest charitable organizations has set before itself. Under the leadership of Mrs. A. J. Slater, for years a leading worker in philanthropic movements, a definite plan has just been outlined by the Society for the Employment of Bible Readers by which the girls may be taken from the stage, given an education in whatever line of work appeals to them and advised and cared for.

Glad He Was Shot.

M. Charles Vagstad, a newspaper man of Minneapolis, France, was walking in the streets of that city the other night when three revolver shots rang out. He felt a bullet strike him and shouted for assistance. Taken to a chemist's shop it was found that the bullet deflected by his clothing had opened a boil from which he had been suffering. He expressed himself as happy that the bullet had saved him a surgical operation.

The Kingdom of Prussia gets out of its cultivated forests over \$24,000,000 a year.

ROSTAND, AUTHOR OF "CHANTECLER," THE LATEST SENSATION IN PARIS.



NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Charles Frohman, the well known theatrical manager, announced before sailing for Europe on the Mauretania that he was going to Paris to complete arrangements for the production in America of the latest sensation in Paris, the "Chantecler" of Edmond Rostand. The play, in which the characters represent hardy animals and fowls with human attributes will be produced simultaneously in New York, Boston and Chicago. From the literary and the lyric points of view, there is no question about "Chantecler's" merit, but few persons consider it strong dramatically or likely to prove a popular success. All concede, however, that Rostand's conception is strictly original and by no means ludicrous or absurd. The best opinion seems to be that the play is great in ideas but is not a master piece by any means.

THE STAGE AND THE PLAYERS.



Rose Bragan, Frank Lanning and Frank Kilday in "Paid in Full."

THE SOISSON.

"Paid in Full."

Local theatrical interest will be stimulated by the coming of "Paid in Full," Eugene Walter's masterpiece of contemporary American drama, which the Wexmanns & Kemper company will offer at the Solisson theatre, matinee and night, Saturday, Feb. 20, with a cast of exceptional talent. This famous play, exceeding in popularity any other of the present generation, has revolutionized modern drama. Its author is a pioneer in a style of play making which incomparably combines ingenuity and originality with a dramatic understanding of the human mind that is striving to follow his path. Mr. Walter was the first play writer to have a successful dramatic career in this country. He has proved, foretold, to enthrall the audience conventionally and tradition and drive right at the heart of things. He has a story to tell, a most interesting story of actual persons in the real world of today. It was a mixture of love and ambition, of loyalty and envy, such as is running its course every hour all about us. With striking directness the author went straight at his subject. He brought forward his men and women and had them live their lives right before us. He had their actions tell his story. By this means he has made "Paid in Full" vivid and graphic. A dramatic artist, emphasizing the realistic impression produced by the play, wrote: "One does not seem to be at the theatre looking upon stage action. Rather it is as if the front wall of a house had been removed opening to view the secret lives of those within. So happily did this writer describe the realism of 'Paid in Full' that his description has been widely quoted by other critics to express the compelling strength of the play."

The Joy Rider.

snappy songs, wit and fun. The Joy Rider, with comic little George Sidney (Bugs 1275) at its head, will come to the Solisson Theatre Friday, March 11. Mr. Sidney is surrounded by a company of 60 dancers, comic artists, dancers and singers the chorus contingent being a marvel of beauty, grace and brilliant costumes.

THE COLONIAL.

"Jimmy Cupid."

Some of the interesting features of Jimmy Cupid at the Colonial theatre Thursday evening, February 24th will have among its musical numbers an interesting song including Love Love Love from the Dolly Prin

cess. "If a College Boy," Drink

ing Chorus from When Congress

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MAY CALL OUT STATE TROOPS.

Governor Stuart Awaits
Word of Philadelphia
Mayor.

MORE RIOTS IN QUAKER CITY

Pennsylvania Constabulary in Readiness to Proceed to Turbulent City and Street Cars Will Be Defended With Bayonets if Necessary.

Philadelphia, Feb. 22.—It looks very much as if the tramp of the Pennsylvania national guard will be heard in the streets within a day or two.

The happenings of the past twelve hours, which included the dynamiting of street cars, scores of encounters between the police and the gangs of strikers, and strike sympathizers, the looting of the downtown district by a disorderly element and the apparent helplessness of the police to keep out the rioting, led to a conference between Mayor Royburn, Brigadier General W. P. Howman, commander of the First brigade, District Attorney Rotan and Director of Public Safety Clay.

General Howman was asked how soon he could assemble his soldiers in their armories and mobilize them for service. Under the act of 1861, the mayor has power to call on the militia to put down riots. The mayor and General Howman admitted the seriousness of the situation and said that arrangements are being made now to assemble the guardsmen.

Troops Held in Readiness.
General Howman called his staff together and outlined a possible course of action. He sent instructions to the officers of the regiments to hold themselves in readiness for instant service. Undoubtedly, the course of events will determine whether the city is to be put practically under martial law and the street cars defended with bayonets.

Governor Stuart arrived in the city and put up at the Union League club. The understanding is that the governor is ready to act the minute that Mayor Royburn gives the word.

The police force was augmented by swearing in, for riot duty, of the State Fencibles, an independent military organization of about 200 members, not affiliated with the national guard, but which performed service during the Spanish-American war.

Under the agreement by which they hold their armory from the city they are obliged to perform police duty when called upon. They will do duty in their regular uniforms, armed with rifle and bayonet.

Powerhouse Men May Strike.
Timothy Healy, international president of the Stationary Engineers and Firemen's union, is expected to arrive in this city and a strike of the powerhouse men is expected to follow his arrival.

A member of Healy's union, while quarreling in a bath of the company with 150 strike-breakers, endeavored to persuade his companions not to take the places of the strikers. He was ejected by the barm superintendant.

While the rioting is less widespread and though there were fewer persons shot and beaten, the spirit of the strikers remains precisely the same. The disorder is general and touches for the first time the business and residential sections of the city.

For the first time also, dynamite is being used to destroy cars. There is a feeling of apprehension among citizens generally that has cut down school attendance 25 per cent and has cut into the business of merchants enormously.

In twenty-five or thirty serious fights in all parts of the city there were twenty people hurt seriously and at least forty or fifty more who got away from the police and took their wounds home.

179 Cars Wrecked.
The company reported that 179 cars were wrecked and that 1,159 window panes had been smashed.

Pratt made a speech at a meeting in Labor Lyceum hall. He was the center of a riot when the meeting broke up. He was surrounded and followed by several hundred men cheering loudly. A car happening along was battered with bricks and paving stones. Pratt had just disappeared in Mercantile hall when the stone throwing began. Two or three policemen were hurt in the mixup and it was learned that the cause of Pratt's arrest was the riot that took place at this point.

In a public statement Mayor Royburn said that the public would be protected, even if the whole police power of the city and of the state had to be called upon.

Boundary Line Question Settled.
Washington, Feb. 22.—The United States supreme court in the case of the state of Maryland vs. the state of West Virginia handed down a decision establishing the boundary line between the two states in favor of Maryland.

Former Congressman Gardner Dead.
Columbus, O., Feb. 22.—Former Congressman Mills Gardner, who was one of the last Lincoln election in Ohio died at Washington Court House, O., aged eighty years.

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Annual White Sale

Begins Wednesday and lasts until Saturday Night.
A sale abounding in savings---every item pointing toward the goal of economy.

Embroidery Specials.

One lot of Embroidery Edging, 7 inches wide,15c a yard
One lot of 12 inch Embroidery Flouncing,25c a yard
One lot of 18 inch Embroidery Flouncing,39c a yard
One lot of 14 inch Embroidery Flouncing,50c a yard
One lot of 1 inch Embroidery Flouncing,\$1 a yard
One lot of Embroidery Edge and insertion to match, 10c value,8c
Point de Paris Lace and insertion to match, 10c value,8c
Odds and Ends of Val Lace, 10c value,Half Price.
Ladies' White Aprons, 25c, 50c, 75c, and \$1.00
Ladies' White Wash Belts,8c
One lot of Ribbons, were 25c, 30c, and 25c, special sale price10c
One lot of Needles, 4 papers for 9c
\$1.00 Bed Spreads,80c
\$1.50 1/2 Bed Spreads\$1.19

New Spring Embroideries are here in greater variety than ever before. The hundreds of new patterns temptingly displayed near the front of the store make a showing few women can resist. The entire store will be a great display of white the counters and tables will be piled with undermuslins of snowy whiteness and white goods by the yard in a wide range of prices. The new patterns of laces and embroideries are here in great variety. Every woman's needs are embraced in this showing of piece goods and ready-to-wear garments from the simplest to the finest.

Many of these offerings cannot be duplicated after the present supply is exhausted because of the steady advance in cottons since it was contracted for.

Men's Furnishings.

ALSO INCLUDED.

While men's wear does not as extensively figure in the White Sale as ladies; the savings are equally as great. Below are a few of the needed articles at lowered prices.

One lot of Men's White Soft Bosom Shirts, plaited and plain, sizes 14 to 17; regular \$1.50 to \$1.75 shirts, specially priced at95c
One lot of Men's Trim Linen Collars, regular 25c grade, "White Sale" price two for25c

One small lot of Men's Collars, regular two for 25c, not all sizes, 5c each
50 dozen Men's Muslin Night Shirts, cut full, all sizes from 14 to 19, regular 75c value,45c
One lot of Men's Muslin Night Shirts all sizes, \$1.00 value for75c

A Sale of Undermuslins Unmatched in Values and Variety.

This sale embraces a complete and creditable showing of everything in muslin undergarments, viz: Skirts, Gowns, Corset Covers, Drawers, Combination Suits and Chemise. Hundreds of fresh white garments are displayed and every garment is priced at a great saving—a double saving, in fact, because of the slowly but surely increasing price of cotton. You lose if you don't attend this sale.

GOWNS.

\$1.25 Nainsook Gowns 94c.—Well made with low neck, short sleeves and round yoke, cut full and embroidery trimmed, special at94c

\$1.25 Gowns for \$1.10.—Gowns of long cloth, muslin and nainsook in many different styles, low neck, square neck, round neck and V neck, lace and embroidery trimmed. These values cannot be duplicated at this little price\$1.10

\$1.50 Gowns for \$1.24.—At this price we are showing quite an assortment of gowns made of cambric, long cloth, nainsook and muslin; low neck and V neck styles with yokes of lace and embroidery trimmed with ribbon, sleeves short and three-quarter lengths, finished with either lace or embroidery. Specially priced at\$1.24

\$1.00 Gowns now 89c.—Made of nainsook and cambric, embroidery trimmed. Several different styles, specially priced for this sale at89c

50c Muslin Gowns 37c.—At this little price we show two styles of gowns V neck and high neck, with yokes made of clusters of fine tucks. Regular price 50c. Sale price37c

75c Long Cloth Gowns 64c.—Made of long cloth, muslin and nainsook with yoke with three rows of ribbon heading, short sleeves finished with one row of lace and insertion.64c

75c Muslin Gowns 64c.—High neck with yoke of embroidery and fine hemstitched tucks; long sleeves finished at cuff with embroidery edging.64c

\$1.75 Long Cloth Gowns \$1.39.—Dainty, well made of long cloth with short sleeves of lace and insertion and three rows of lace and insertion and ribbon heading. Great value at\$1.39

\$2.50 Nainsook Gowns for \$1.95.—Beautifully made gowns with V neck, lace and embroidery trimmed yokes, sleeves finished with lace, embroidery and heading. Very attractive gown, special price\$1.95

Children's Department.

This sale also includes Misses' and Children's Muslin Garments. We do not have space to tell about them in detail but would ask you to come in and see the display. The garments offered at our special prices are worth your while.

Great Showing of Spring Waists.

Here are a few of the many styles specially priced for this White Sale.
\$1.50 White Lingerie Waists \$1.19. We include several of our best spring models of lingerie waists, lace and embroidery trimmed front and back, sleeves finished with new cuff effect. Priced at\$1.19

\$1.25 Tailored and Lingerie Waists 95c.—Your choice of many models; new styles only. Specially priced 95c

\$2.00 and \$1.75 Lingerie Waists \$1.45. Well made lawn and lingerie materials with heavy lace yokes, other models embroidery trimmed, sleeves with no tucks. All sizes up to 44.\$1.45
\$2.25 Lingerie Waists \$1.91.—These new spring models are beautiful and attractive. The front is of a new blind embroidery, hemstitched, cuff sleeve, lace tucks, cuff finished with fine lace, "White Sale" price\$1.90

4 Piece Bridal Sets

\$10.00 Values for \$6.00

These sets consist of gown, skirt, corset cover and drawers, all trimmed with lace to match. Each garment made of the best material\$6.00

\$1.25 and \$1 Chemise 75c

Under this price we place our entire stock of muslin chemise, lace and embroidery trimmed. Many different styles will be shown to be chosen from at the little price of75c

Muslin Skirts.

\$2.75 and \$2.50 Skirts \$1.89.—At this price you can take your pick of six beautiful muslin skirts. Three of these styles have deep lace flounce with fine tucks interspersing, the others have a deep embroidery flounce set on a cluster of 15 tucks. Priced for this sale at\$1.89

\$3.50 Embroidery Trimmed Skirts \$2.89.—You can only appreciate the value and beauty of these skirts by seeing them. Made of fine cambric with a deep embroidery flounce set with wide embroidery insertion and tucks. If you see them you will want them.\$2.89

\$2.00 Embroidery Trimmed Skirts \$1.79. Made of cambric muslin with a deep flounce of embroidery and fine tucks. Priced at\$1.79

\$1.25 Skirts \$1.05.—This price includes two distinct styles of muslin skirts. One has a 22-inch wide flounce with 5 clusters of 1/2 inch hemstitched tucks and the other has a 16 inch embroidery flounce with a cluster of real fine tucks. When these are gone there will be no more at this price.\$1.05

\$5.00 Cambric Skirts \$3.75.—This price embraces a showing of fine cambric skirts beautifully made and finished with fine swiss embroidery flounces. Special for this sale\$3.75

85c Skirts 72c.—Long Skirts of cambric with 14 inch embroidery flounce and hemstitched tucks. These are excellent values72c

\$1.00 Skirts 89c.—Made of good quality muslin with 16 inch embroidery flounce, two clusters of hemstitched tucks. Sale price89c

\$1.75 Skirts for \$1.49.—Made of good quality muslin with 16 inch embroidery flounce with five clusters of hemstitched tucks. Specially priced for this sale at\$1.49

\$1.50 Embroidery Skirts \$1.29.—At this price we show two very attractive muslin skirts with deep embroidery flounce set on with embroidery insertion. Specially priced at\$1.29

75c Muslin Skirts 50c.—Short Muslin Skirts with an 8-inch lace flounce. At this price the quantity is limited; better come early.50c

Drawers.

\$1.00 Drawers 89c.—Made of nainsook and soft finished cambric, wide leg with deep ruffles of lace and embroidery, well made and nicely finished. Priced at89c

\$1.50 Drawers \$1.29.—This includes all \$1.50 drawers made of long cloth, nainsook and soft finished cambric, lace and embroidery ruffles. Very special at\$1.29

\$1.25 Drawers 98c.—Made of nainsook, cambric and soft finished muslin, wide and medium leg, with swiss embroidery ruffles. None better for the price. Specially priced at98c

85c Nainsook Drawers with swiss embroidery ruffle and fine tucks, wide circular leg. Special for this sale 74c

75c Drawers 55c.—Made of a good quality soft muslin, some with lace ruffles, others with embroidery ruffles, wide leg. Special55c

65c Drawers 49c.—Made of a soft cambric with wide embroidery ruffle set on with fine tucks. All sizes. 49c

50c Muslin Drawers 38c.—Made with wide leg and wide embroidery ruffle, all sizes. Specially priced for this sale, only38c

29c Embroidery Trimmed Drawers, made of good muslin with embroidery ruffles. They are, without a doubt, the best we have ever offered at this price29c

25c Muslin Drawers with lawn ruffles. Special price20c

Combination Suits.

\$3.50 Combination Suits \$2.89.—Beautifully made of nainsook and barred dimity. Corset cover and drawers and corset cover and skirt all combined in one garment; lace and embroidery trimmed with ribbon heading. Very special price for this combination \$2.89

\$2.00 Combination Suits \$1.79.—Very attractive suits of nainsook and barred dimity. Well made and finished to the

smallest detail. We show two distinct styles at this price—one eyelet embroidery trimmed and the other trimmed with lace and ribbon. No more at this price when these are gone.

\$1.50 Combination Suits \$1.29.—Made of nainsook. The corset cover and drawers are joined at the waist with ribbon heading, lace trimmed and finished with lace heading and ribbon. Special price for this sale\$1.29

Corset Covers.

75c Corset Covers 55c.—Neatly made of nainsook and barred dimity; lace and embroidery trimmed and finished with ribbon heading55c

85c Corset Covers 73c.—Beautifully made of nainsook, trimmed with embroidery heading and ribbon; others with swiss embroidery. Price73c

50c Corset Covers 39c.—Nicely made nainsook, soft muslin and barred dimity; lace and embroidery trimmed. A special showing to choose from but they won't last at this little price. 39c

25c Corset Covers 21c.—Made of soft finish muslin, lace and embroidery trimmed. Special for this sale21c

New Spring Embroideries.

Every woman who loves dainty lingerie will visit us during this sale to supply her self for the coming season. Thousands of yards are displayed. The showing includes hundreds of patterns, all arranged for easy examination.

Matched Sets in swiss, nainsook and cambric, the largest assortment we have ever shown. Two and three widths of edge with insertion to match, from the narrow widths for babies to the widest flouncing for skirts.

Embroidery Flouncings, so much in demand, are here in the newest effects in 18 inch, 27 inch, 36 inch and 45 inch widths, with plain material to match embroideries.

Allover Embroideries for yokes, and waists, in thirty different patterns to match edging.

White Goods by the Yard.

"When do you expect to have your White Sale?" is the question we have been often asked since the first of the month by those who are preparing for spring sewing. A host of women have learned that these sales are not matched in practical values and completeness of stock. This year the lines are exceptionally fine. You will find it a pleasure to select materials for anything you may have in mind.

White Waistings.

India Linens, 0 inches wide for 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 25c
White Linen, 45 inches wide,65c yard
10-4 White Linen Sheeting\$1.25 yard
Shirt Waist Linen, 36 inches wide15c yard
Belfast Linen, imitation of sheer linen in light and medium weights, 36 inches wide,18c and 20c a yard
One lot of Waistings, in bars and stripes, 20c value, 12 1/2c
One lot of White Madras and Barred Lawns, 35c value, 25c

Domestics and Linens.

Cavalier Muslin, 36 inches wide,8 1/2c
Lonsdale Muslin, 36 inches wide,12 1/2c
Cambric Muslin, at10c, 12 1/2c and 15c
Pillow Case Muslin, 42 and 45 inches wide,16c and 17c
10-4 Bleached Mohawk Sheeting35c and 39c
9-4 Bleached Mohawk Sheeting25c to 32c
Long Cloth, 36 inches wide,10c a yard or \$1.20 bolt
Long Cloth, 36 inches wide,12 1/2c a yard or \$1.50 a bolt
Long Cloth, 36 inches wide,15c a yard or \$1.75 a bolt
Long Cloth, 36 inches wide,18c a yard or \$2.00 a bolt
Long Cloth, 45 inches wide,20c a yard or \$2.25 a bolt
Long Cloth, 36 inches wide,25c a yard or \$2.85 a bolt
Large Bleached Towels, Towels12 1/2c each
All Linen Huck Towels, 13x37 inches, regularly 25c,19c
Damask Towels, 22x50 inches, were 30c, sale price25c
Bleached Table Linen, 72 inches wide, regularly \$1.00,79c
Bleached Table Linen, 72 inches wide, regularly \$1.50,\$1.29
Bleached Table Linen, 72 inches wide, regularly \$1.25, 88c
Nainsook, 36 inches wide,12 1/2c a yard or \$1.40 a bolt
Nainsook, 36 inches wide,15c a yard or \$1.65 a bolt
Other grades of Nainsook ranging in price from 20c to 50c

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Prices: \$1.00, 75c, 50c and 25c.

Seats now on sale at Thomas & Brown's Store Both phones.

Prizes For "Paid in Full."
The Daily News will give three prizes for the best short story on "Can a man support a society wife on \$18 per week," which is part of the story of the great American play "Paid in Full" at the Soloson theatre matinee and night, Saturday, Feb. 26.

One Killed; Two Injured.
Hastings, Minn., Feb. 22.—John Willis, baggage man was killed when a broken rail wrecked a Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul passenger train near here. One passenger and a sleeping car conductor were injured.